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## IN THE ABSTRACT:

Please amend the abstract to read as follows:

A frontloaded injection device comprising that includes a cartridge holder into which a replaceable cartridge containing a fluid is inserted. The cartridge holder includes comprises a closing element such as a pair of claws which are displaceable in a radial direction. The closing element is provided at the front of the injection device and locks the cartridge by gripping at the neck part of the cartridge after the cartridge has been loaded into the cartridge holder from the front of the injection device. The closing element is preferably biased in an outwardly radial direction when the locking element is moved axially out of the cartridge holder.